



**PATENT**

**Serial No: 10/660,603**

**Docket No: 10517-187**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of: Masaaki Kaneko, *et al.*

Application No: 10/660,603

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Group Art Unit: 3641

Examiner: Lincoln D. Donovan

For: REACTOR UNIT

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

**Mail Stop - Amendment**

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Sir:

Applicants respectfully respond to the Office Action mailed December 10, 2004 as follows: